

CONFIDENTIAL RECORD SHEET  
REGISTRATION SERVICE  
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

DATE: July 13, 1989

FULL NAME Sam C. Jones S.S. NO. [REDACTED]  
(No initials if you can possibly get full name)

ADDRESS [REDACTED]

CITY Kansas City STATE MO ZIP CODE 64119

DATE OF BIRTH 9/30/70 (This is important and should be exact)

APPROXIMATE AGE \_\_\_\_\_ (To be used ONLY when date of birth is not known)

RELIGION \_\_\_\_\_ NATIONALITY (Citizen of) \_\_\_\_\_

OCCUPATION \_\_\_\_\_

EDUCATION \_\_\_\_\_

WEIGHT \_\_\_\_\_ HEIGHT \_\_\_\_\_ RACE White

COLOR OF HAIR \_\_\_\_\_ COLOR OF EYES \_\_\_\_\_

ANY DISTINGUISHING PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS \_\_\_\_\_

HOBBIES OR SPECIAL INTERESTS \_\_\_\_\_

MARRIED ☐ SINGLE ☒ NAME OF SPOUSE \_\_\_\_\_

CHILDREN \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name, number, ages, if possible)

SCOUTING CONNECTIONS:

<u>UNIT #</u>	<u>CITY</u>	<u>STATE</u>	<u>POSITION</u>	<u>DATE REGISTERED</u>	<u>DATE RESIGNED</u>
Troop 215	Kansas City	MO	ASM		June 1989
Explorer Post 2288	"				June 1989
Chartered Organization	McMurray United Meth. Church				

SPECIAL RECOGNITION Eagle

INCIDENT: TYPE 2 DATE OF INCIDENT ? RESOLUTION ?  
Type Resolution

- |  |                                |
|--|--------------------------------|
| 1=Scout Related                            | 1. Internal (only Scouts Know) |
| 2=Non-scout related                        | 2. Criminal action             |
| 3=homosexual (not specifically with youth) | 3. Court action                |
|  | 4. Probationary status         |
|  | 5. Reported to state agency    |

Check off list of attached documentation

1. Description of incident
2. Victim(s) statement
3. media reports
4. Legal proceedings
5. Offender's statement
6. Official notification of termination
7. Found guilty/innocent by court

**APPROVED**

**JUN 13 1990**

**JOSEPH L. ANGLIM**

**CONFIDENTIAL**

Council Heart of America Signed \_\_\_\_\_ JUL 25 1989

SCOUT EXECUTIVE

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**F. STARON**

CONF016091

June 14, 1990

Mr. Jere B. Ratcliffe  
Scout Executive  
Heart of America Council, No. 307

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: Sam C. Jones

Dear Jere:

Thank you for the detailed information sent concerning the above Scouter. This case has been reviewed with our attorney and is now on our permanent Ineligible Volunteer File.

Sincerely,

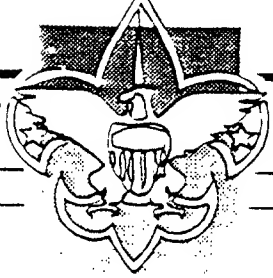
Paul Ernst, Director  
Registration Service

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cc: North Central Region

READY TO FILE  
JUN 14 1990  
ERIN ORILEY

CONF016092



Heart of America Council, Boy Scouts of America

10210 Holmes Road • Kansas City, Missouri 64131 • [REDACTED]



January 31, 1990

PERSONAL & CONFIDENTIAL

Mr. Paul Ernst, Director  
Registration Service  
National Office  
Boy Scouts of America  
P.O. Box 152079  
Irving, TX 75015-2079

Re: Sam C. Jones

Dear Paul:

In reply to your letter of January 18, 1990 regarding Mr. Jones, we have heard nothing further for some time. We were to be notified if he was indicted and thus far, no information has been forthcoming.

If we do hear anything further, we will advise you immediately.

Sincerely,

Jere B. Ratcliffe  
Scout Executive

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READY FOR FILE

JAN 17 1990

A. GRAVES

January 18, 1990

Mr. Jere B. Ratcliffe  
Scout Executive  
Heart of America Council, No. 307

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: Sam C. Jones

Dear Jere:

I hate to bother you again, but I have not heard from you since July and wondered the outcome of any legal action.

We would like to have newspaper clippings, court records, or other material which would substantiate how this has been settled.

Sincerely,

Paul Ernst, Director  
Registration Service

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cc: North Central Region

CONF016094

READY FOR FILE

107 1073

A. GRAVES

October 3, 1989

Mr. Jere B. Ratcliffe  
Scout Executive  
Heart of America Council, No. 307

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: Sam C. Jones

Dear Jere:

We appreciate the information which you have continued to forward to us concerning the above named individual. We would like the outcome of any legal action, once it has been completed.

We understand that this was [REDACTED] and wondered whether this is going to be tried in the legal system. If so, we would like the outcome for our files.

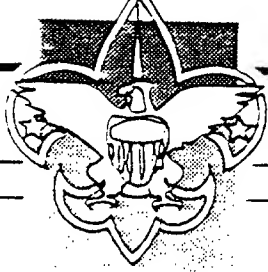
Sincerely,

Paul Ernst, Director  
Registration Service

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cc: North Central Region

CONF016095



**TODAYS**  
SCOUTING

Heart of America Council, Boy Scouts of America

10210 Holmes Road • Kansas City, Missouri 64131 [REDACTED]

July 13, 1989

Mr. Paul Ernst, Director  
Registration Service  
National Office  
Boy Scouts of America  
P.O. Box 152079  
Irving, TX 75015-2079

*SAM - JONES*

Dear Paul:

In reply to your letter of June 21st regarding the above individual, we are enclosing Confidential Record Sheet with as much information as we presently have available.

We will advise of further developments.

Sincerely,

Jere B. Ratcliffe  
Scout Executive

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READY FOR FILE

JUN 21 1989

JULIE EATON

June 21, 1989

Mr. Jere B. Ratcliffe  
Scout Executive  
Heart of America Council, No. 207

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: SAM C. JONES

Dear Jere:

Thank you very much for the material which you recently sent concerning the above named individual. This is most helpful as we start a file.

I am enclosing a Confidential Record Sheet which I would like to have completed with as much information as you have available. This will enable us to identify him should he attempt registration in some other location in the future.

We would also like to have the outcome of the legal action once it has been completed. This would then enable us to complete this matter and have all the material necessary.

Sincerely,

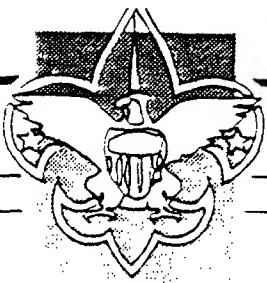
Paul Ernst, Director  
Registration Service

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Enclosure

cc: North Central Region

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**TODAY'S**  
SCOUTING

Heart of America Council, Boy Scouts of America

10210 Holmes Road • Kansas City, Missouri 64131 [REDACTED]

June 12, 1989

307-815-57 = 157397

PERSONAL & CONFIDENTIAL

Mr. Paul Ernst  
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National Office  
Boy Scouts of America  
P.O. Box 152079  
Irving, TX 75015-2079

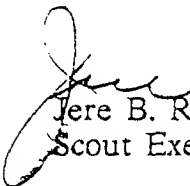
Re: Sam C. Jones

Dear Paul:

Enclosed is copy of a confidential memo reference the above individual, a copy of his adult application, a copy of letter from pastor of McMurry United Methodist Church to Mr. Jones, and a copy of our letter of this date suspending his registration. Please note copy of application which contains his signature and his social security number.

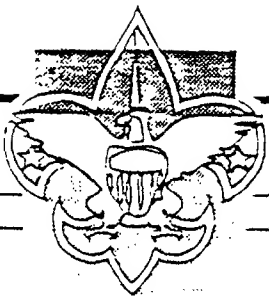
We will keep you advised of further developments.

Sincerely,

  
Jere B. Ratcliffe  
Scout Executive

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Heart of America Council, Boy Scouts of America

10210 Holmes Road • Kansas City, Missouri 64131



June 12, 1989

PERSONAL & CONFIDENTIAL

Mr. Sam C. Jones

Kansas City, MO 64119

Dear Mr. Jones:

After careful review, we have decided that your registration with the Boy Scouts of America should be suspended. We are therefore compelled to request that you sever any relations you may have with the Boy Scouts of America.

You should understand the BSA membership registration is a privilege and is not automatically granted to everyone who applies. We reserve the right to suspend registration whenever there is a concern that an individual may not measure up to the high standards of membership the BSA seeks to provide for American youth.

If you wish to have this decision reviewed, please write to me within 60 days of the date of this letter, explaining your version of the facts supporting your claim that your registration as a BSA member should be reinstated.

Sincerely,

Jere B. Ratcliffe  
Scout Executive

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CONFIDENTIAL MEMO

TO: Jere Ratcliffe  
FROM: Dick Darnell  
DATE: May 31, 1989  
RE: Sam C. Jones

On May 31, 1989, I met with Alan Pruitt, Minister, McMurray United Methodist Church, 25 Eugene Field Road, Claycomo, Missouri, 65240, at his request. Rev. Pruitt advised within the last week he was made aware that a member of his church and Assistant Scoutmaster of his church's Troop 215 was under investigation [REDACTED] Rev. Pruitt knew that legal papers had been served on the person in question and he had been removed from the home. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] The individual in question is:

Sam C. Jones, White/Male. Date of Birth: 9-30-70

[REDACTED]  
Kansas City, MO 64119

[REDACTED]  
SSN: [REDACTED]

Missouri Driver's License: [REDACTED]

Jones is currently registered as Assistant Scoutmaster (#157397) with Troop 215, and as a youth member (#121350) of Post 2288, Northminster Presbyterian Church, 1441 N.W. Englewood.

At the present time I am attempting to determine the status of Jones within the criminal justice system.

Rev. Pruitt also stated Jones' father is currently registered as Troop 215 Scoutmaster. In the vest interest of the troop and church, Rev. Pruitt will encourage the father to resign his position with the troop. If he doesn't resign, he will be replaced.

I spoke with Rev. Pruitt on 6-1-89; he will inform Sam Jones by letter of his removal as Assistant Scoutmaster. He will forward a copy of the letter to use for our files.

CONF016100

# BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA ADULT APPLICATION

Print one letter in each space—press hard; you are making four copies.

First name and initial: SAM C Last name: JONES

Address—street or R.F.D.

[REDACTED]

Additional address information (if necessary)

[REDACTED]

City

KANSAS CITY

State

ZIP code

MO 64119

Home phone

Business phone

[REDACTED]

Date of birth

09/30/70

Month Day Year

Training (see cover)

☐

Position Code (see cover)

3A

Occupation, employer, and business address

HAIRIS Book Furniture Services  
[REDACTED]

Years at this employment

01

New leader

☒

Transfer

☐

Former leader

☐

Sex

M

U. S. citizen

Yes No

☒ ☐

Driver's license No.

[REDACTED]

Expiration

1-26-92

Scouting background

Position

Council

Year

[REDACTED]

2. Experience working with youth in other organizations?

Scout (Eagle Scout)  
Scout Scout Rappel Master

3. Previous residences (for last 5 years).

City

State

KANSAS CITY MO

4. Current memberships (religious, community, business, labor, or professional organizations).

Asbury L.M. Methodist Church

5. References. Please list those who are familiar with your character as it relates to working with youth. References will be checked when necessary.

Name Max Burnett

Name Sam Mazley

Name DAVID FORD

6. Additional information.

a. Do you use illegal drugs? Yes ☐ No ☒

b. Have you ever been convicted of a criminal offense? (If yes, explain below.) Yes ☐ No ☒

c. Have you ever been charged with child neglect or abuse? Yes ☐ No ☒

d. Has your driver's license ever been suspended or revoked? (If yes, explain below.) Yes ☐ No ☒

e. Other than the above, is there any fact or circumstance involving you or your background that would call into question your being entrusted with the supervision, guidance, and care of young people? (If yes, explain below.) Yes ☐ No ☒

I understand that:

a. The information that I have provided may be verified, if necessary, by contacting persons or organizations named in this application, or by contacting any person or organization that may have information concerning me. I hereby release and agree to hold harmless from liability any person or organization that provides information. I also agree to hold harmless the chartered organization, local council, Boy Scouts of America, and the officers, employees, and volunteers thereof.

b. In signing this application, I affirm that the information I have given is true and correct.

X Sam Jones 2/13/89  
Signature of applicant date

## APPROVALS FOR UNIT SCOUTERS

To the best of our knowledge, this applicant meets the leadership standards of the Boy Scouts of America:

James R. Matlock  
Signature of unit committee chairman

Date \_\_\_\_\_

[Signature]  
Signature of chartered organization head or chartered organization representative

Date 2-13-89

Signature of Scout executive or designee

Date \_\_\_\_\_

## APPROVAL FOR COUNCIL/DISTRICT SCOUTERS

To the best of my knowledge, this applicant meets the leadership standards of the Boy Scouts of America:

Signature of Scout executive or designee

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Registration fee

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Boys' Life fee

[REDACTED]

Term (months)

12

Unit renewal date

02/89

Month Year

Transfer from:

[REDACTED]

Council

## FOR COUNCIL USE

[REDACTED]

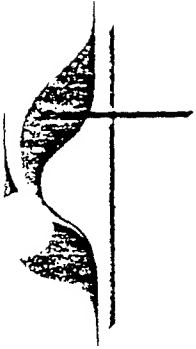
Nat'l unit No.

[REDACTED]

Memoer ID No.

If applicant has an unexpired membership certificate, registration may be accomplished by paying \$1 for processing the transfer. Check the box and attach certificate. It will be returned by the council.

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McMurry United Methodist Church

25 Eugene Field Road  
KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI 64119  
[REDACTED]

June 6, 1989

Mr. Sam Jones  
[REDACTED]

Kansas City, MO 64119

Dear Sam,

I have become aware of the alledged violation of the criminal statutes of the State of Missouri. I am concerned about what that means for you and your future. If I can be a listening ear, please call.

I am also concerned about how this will affect you and your relationship with Troop 215 of the Boy Scouts at McMurry. It is with great pain, that I as chief executive officer of Troop 215, terminate you in your position as Assistant Scout Master of Troop 215 pending the clarification of the alledged charges.

Please know that this action is taken to protect you, scouting and McMurry United Methodist Church.

Sincerely,

Alan D. Pruitt, Pastor  
McMurry United Methodist Church

copy: Dick Darnell, District Executive, Boy Scouts of America

CONF016102

MS08 MEMBERSHIP SUPPORT SYSTEM 06/20/89  
MEMBER DELETE , 08:38:37

CHCL 307 PRG/UNIT S1215 SEQ. 157397  
FIRST: [REDACTED] LAST: JONES  
ADDR1: [REDACTED] ADDR2: KANSAS CITY MO ZIP: 64119  
ADDR3: [REDACTED] ADDR4:  
REG STATUS: D ENROLL: 0389 BIRTH: 0970 SEX: M AGENCY: M ADULT/YOUTH: A  
POSITION: SA FINDERCODE: 54 PHONE: [REDACTED] BULK: MAG-STATUS:  
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